

Sutton 'tonic' for Hayes

WYCOMBE Wanderers, who lost for the first time this season at Dagenham on Saturday, travel to Church Road tonight (Tuesday) where they take on Hayes.

Ironically, while Wanderers were going down 1-0 in a howling gale on Saturday, Hayes were recording their first win in the league this term. They beat the up-and-coming Sutton side 2-0. Alan Carrington and Bobby Ross scored their two goals but Hayes' triumph was marred by the second booking this season of player-manager Alan Harris.

Harris, who took over at Hayes only three weeks before the season started, was also booked in a previous match, bringing Hayes' total of penalty points this season to six — all bookings. Clapton have also six names taken.

As Harris brought the majority of the present team with him at the start of the campaign, it obviously took them time to settle into a unit and results were disappointing.

They drew 1-1 at Hendon and 2-2 with Walton and Hersham. At Leatherhead, Hayes put up a fine performance before going down to the only goal of the game and followed that with a 1-1 draw at Woking. A Rob Williams goal brought their

downfall at home to Kingstonian and last week Slough Town won 2-0 at Church Road.

Saturday's success over Sutton, therefore, was particularly welcome and Hayes will be full of confidence for tonight's encounter.

Only Tommy James, John O'Sullivan, Roy Butler, Mick Barnard and Graham Cracknell are left from last year's squad and amongst the newcomers is John Watt the former Watford reserve. Cracknell was training with Wanderers in the close season but decided to return to his former club. Hayes are one of nine clubs in Division One who decided to turn professional this term.

With Terry Reardon still unfit, Wycombe are not expected to make changes from the side that lost on Saturday. They are unlikely to come up against such extreme conditions again tonight and were obviously unhappy in such a strong wind at Dagenham.

Gary Hand, whose transfer was received just in time for his

debut on Saturday, will carry on in the fullback shirt.

ROTHMANS ISTMIAN LEAGUE

	Division I					Pen. Pts.			
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	C	D
L'head	7	5	2	0	20	7	17	2	0
Enfield	7	5	1	1	9	4	16	2	0
Iford	6	4	2	0	12	5	14	0	0
W. Wan.	6	4	1	1	9	5	13	0	0
Dulwich	7	4	1	2	13	8	13	1	0
Sutton	7	4	1	2	11	7	13	1	0
Dagenham	5	4	0	1	10	2	12	0	0
Tooting	6	4	0	2	9	7	12	2	0
Clapton	7	4	0	3	8	10	12	6	0
Bishops	7	3	1	3	11	10	10	0	0
Wal'stow	6	2	2	2	6	5	8	0	0
Hitchin	7	2	1	4	12	14	7	2	0
Walton	7	2	1	4	8	20	7	2	0
Barking	6	2	0	4	7	7	6	1	0
Woking	7	1	3	3	9	10	6	2	0
Hayes	7	1	3	3	6	8	6	6	0
Ley'stone	6	2	0	4	5	10	6	1	0
Oxford	6	2	0	4	6	13	6	0	0
K'stonian	7	2	0	5	3	11	6	1	0
Hendon	7	1	2	4	6	11	5	1	0
Slough	6	1	1	4	3	5	4	0	0
Bromley	5	1	0	4	3	7	3	0	0
	Division II					Pen. Pts.			
	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts	C	D
Chesham	7	4	2	1	13	3	14	1	0
St. Albans	7	4	2	1	12	10	14	1	0
Staines	7	4	1	2	7	4	13	0	4
M'head	7	4	1	2	10	7	13	0	0
Wokingham	7	4	0	3	8	6	12	2	0
Southall	7	3	2	2	9	7	11	2	0
Horsham	6	3	1	2	10	4	10	1	0
Harwich	7	3	1	3	11	8	10	1	0
Tilbury	7	3	1	3	12	11	10	0	0
Harlow	7	3	1	3	9	13	10	2	0
Carshalton	7	3	0	4	6	8	9	2	0
Croydon	7	2	2	3	9	12	8	4	0
C. Casuals	6	2	2	2	4	8	8	0	0
Hertford	6	2	1	3	7	8	7	5	0
Finchley	7	2	1	4	4	12	7	1	0
Aveley	6	2	0	4	5	8	6	1	0
Hampton	6	1	1	4	5	8	4	0	0
Boreham	6	0	3	3	6	10	3	2	0

C — Cautions, D — Dismissals.